

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS  
EASTERN DIVISION**

**FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION,  
STATE OF ILLINOIS, and  
STATE OF MINNESOTA,**

*Plaintiffs,*

v.

**GTCR, LLC,  
GTCR BC HOLDINGS, LLC, and  
SURMODICS, INC.,**

*Defendants.*

Case No. 25-cv-02391

Hon. Jeffrey I. Cummings

**NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL**

Pursuant to Local Civil Rule 83.17, Susan A. Musser respectfully withdraws as an attorney of record for Plaintiff Federal Trade Commission in this matter. The FTC will continue to be represented by the undersigned counsel and other attorneys who have entered appearances for the FTC in this action.

Dated: 10/01/2025

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on the 1st day of October, 2025, I filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court.

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Pursuant to Local Rule 5.9, I hereby certify that on this 1st day of October, 2025, the foregoing was electronically filed using the Court's CM/ECF system and constitutes service to the attorneys of record who have consented to accept service by electronic means and that GTCR, LLC's, GTCR BC Holdings, LLC's, and Surmodics, Inc.'s counsel of record are being served with a copy of this document via electronic mail.

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